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Dear Sir:

The following communication is responsive to the notification of non-compliant amendment mailed May 12, 2008 regarding response to the non-final Office Action mailed 09/24/2007. Accordingly, a Response is due on June 12, 2007 without extension. Thus, Applicants believe this Response is timely filed.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.